

**Georgia Board of Private Detective and Security Agencies
Teleconference Board Meeting Minutes – October 26, 2023**

Professional Licensing Boards – Secretary of State
237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, GA 31217

Members Present:

- Pam Griggs, Chair
- James “Tripp” Mitchell
- Joel Peacock
- Tim Williams
- Chris Hosey

Others Present:

- Brad Coman, Executive Director
- Melanie Foster, Licensing Supervisor
- Kristin Mitchell, Board Support Specialist
- Leisa Beach, Licensing Analyst
- Griffin Ingraham, Assistant Attorney General

Members Absent:

- Tim Smith
- Antonio Long

NOTE: Visitors are excused during Executive Session unless scheduled for a personal appearance.

Pam Griggs, Chair, noted that a quorum was present, called the meeting to order at 9:04 a.m., and declared the session to be “open” pursuant to the Open and Public Meeting Act, O.C.G.A. §§50-14-1 et seq.

OPEN SESSION:

Agenda

After review of the agenda, Tripp Mitchell moved, Joel Peacock seconded, and the Board voted to approve the October 26, 2023 agenda.

Minutes

After review of the minutes, Tripp Mitchell moved, Joel Peacock seconded, and the Board voted to approve the September 28, 2023 Open Meeting minutes and Executive Session minutes.

Ratification List:

Licenses issued 9/26/2023 through 10/23/2023 (Total – 114):

License #	Licensee	License #	Licensee
CFTR001456	Derreck Carter	PDE052405	Michael David Tidwell II
CLTR001227	Tiffany Hooks Terrell	PDE052406	Dennis Frank Guaracino
INSE044299	Jarvis Kareem McDonald	PDE052407	Jennifer Amanda Jones
INSE044300	Kendra Briann Coney	PDE052408	Gregory Walter Warren
INSE044301	Theron Anderson Hypolite	PDE052409	Mackenzie Hallman
INSE044302	Tiffany Lanette Winston	PDE052410	Porschea Dickson
INSE044303	Danny Ray Simmons, Jr	PDSC001812	Strategic Solutions Protection, LLC
INSE044304	Wade Mazurek	PDSG044887	Dudley Guice
INSE044305	Hasan Ronald Barrow	PDSG044888	Bryce P Henderson, Sr
INSE044306	Justine Nicole Holt	PDSG044889	Samantha Elizabeth Lapka
PDC002968	Southern Sleuth Investigations	PDSG044890	Chandler Scott Wolf
PDC002969	Jeffrey Scott Rainwater	SGE072749	Kenneth Adrian Hughey
PDE052396	Jordan Lee Pickelsimer	SGE072750	Carlos Cepeda Williams
PDE052397	Christopher Keith Mercer	SGE072751	Nehru Bhagwandin
PDE052398	Francis Thomas Farran, III	SGE072752	Melvin Donald Brewer
PDE052399	Maggie Jane Clendenin	SGE072753	Ayub Carswell
PDE052400	Maria Godfrey	SGE072754	Erica Charleston
PDE052401	Martin Joseph Davis	SGE072755	Vicente B Fernandez
PDE052402	Dorian Larnel Bond	SGE072756	Sidney Robin Harrelson
PDE052403	Samuel Calvin Mumma VII	SGE072757	Isoken Uwa Iyinbor
PDE052404	Matthew Ryan Rhue	SGE072758	Jasmine Imani Johnson

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SGE072759	Javaris Le'Arties Jones	SGE370242	Antonio Miquel Hudson
SGE072760	Zynulene Lamont Davidson	SGE370243	Keith Renea McGilberry II
SGE072761	Khennedy Jordan	SGE370244	K'Darious DMarcus Tyquan Olds
SGE072762	Demiven Shemar Knighton	SGE370245	Larry Lamar Watts Jr
SGE072763	Andrea N Members	SGE370246	Suzette Nickerson
SGE072764	Phillip R Robinson	SGE370247	LaSonya Nicole Gadson
SGE072765	Laverne Tamika Rodrigues	SGE370248	Trivell Williams
SGE072766	Esteban Salinas	SGE370249	Gerrick Gambrell
SGE072767	Ricardo Sigurani	SGE370250	Nickolas E. Myers
SGE072768	Andrew James Stewart	SGE370251	Willie Frank Adams Jr
SGE072769	Chanteese Terry	SGE370252	Lisa Marie Peterson
SGE072770	William Elmer Givens	SGE370253	Shana'e Lynette Scott-Samuel
SGE072771	Milton Neal Hays, Jr	SGE370254	Shanon Norris Caverly
SGE072772	Kenneth Artie Scott	SGE370255	Nathalie Laura Holt Porto
SGE072773	Katherine Elizabeth Shalique Echols	SGE370256	Roosevelt Martavious Lapsley
SGE072774	Rueben Jamal Hodge	SGE370257	Ty Randall Marshall
SGE072775	Tiara Carithers	SGE370258	Chedric Harper
SGE370223	Arbriana Nicole Bass	SGE370259	Tiffany LaShae Floyd
SGE370224	Charles Spencer David Hague	SGE370260	Sylvania Michel
SGE370225	John Ivan Battle	SGE370261	Kasan William Clayborn
SGE370226	Mark Julius Burns	SGE370262	Benjamin Hayes
SGE370227	Candice D. Clark	SGE370263	Christopher Dean
SGE370228	Robert Harrison Smith	SGE370264	Brett Anthony Bishop
SGE370229	Robert Harrison Smith	SGE370265	Darian LeReek Harris
SGE370230	Lavictor Deshan Jackson	SGE370266	Daniel Allen Sills
SGE370231	Kevin Alonso Bush	SGE370267	Richard Alan Williams
SGE370232	Mshawi Jabar Ikner	SGE370268	Thomas James Rivers
SGE370233	Kelvin Dean Wilson	SGE370269	Clayton Jared Muehlenbrock
SGE370234	Christopher Harting	SGE370270	Robert Lee Brown Jr.
SGE370235	Kian Kashani	SGE370271	Thomas Henry Raulerson
SGE370236	Derrick Spence	SGE370272	Dana James Ahl
SGE370237	Thomas Romell Robertson	SGE370273	Travion Quintrell Welborn
SGE370238	Giavonia Browder	SGE370274	Jaamal Rashad Baker
SGE370239	Daren Scott Bryan	SGE370275	Dasean Fentress
SGE370240	Tyasha Katrice Carpenter	SGE370276	Delroy Emmett Webb
SGE370241	Akin L Gibbons		

Tripp Mitchell moved, Joel Peacock seconded, and the Board voted to ratify the licenses issued between meetings in accordance with Board Rules and Policies.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Tripp Mitchell moved, Joel Peacock seconded, and the Board voted to enter into Executive Session at 9:06 a.m. in accordance with O.C.G.A. §§ 43-1-19(h) and 43-38, for the purpose of reviewing applications and complaint cases, and to hear the Attorney General's report.

At the conclusion of Executive Session, Pam Griggs, Chair, declared the meeting to be "open" pursuant to the Open and Public Meeting Act, O.C.G.A. §§ 50-14-1 et seq., at 11:33 a.m. No votes were taken during Executive Session.

OPEN SESSION:

Tripp Mitchell moved, Joel Peacock seconded, and the Board voted to accept recommendations made during Executive Session as follows:

Appointments:

3103758 / 3103761 – No show. Reschedule for November 16, 2023 Board Meeting.

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3108077 / 3108081 – Approved.

3104833 – Deny due to P.O.S.T. sanctions, character, and inability to engage in the private security business with reasonable skill and safety to the public.

3109226 – Approved.

3110310 – Approved. Schedule Cognizant Interview with designee.

3110325 – Approved.

Applications:

Companies

NOTE: Companies are approved pending receipt of requisite surety bond or insurance, license fee, and passing exam results.

Company App #	Employee App #	Applicant Name	Decision
3098491	3098496	C.C.L.D.B.A.C.P.S.	Approve with a Letter of Concern for failure to disclose arrest history.
3104332	3104337	Gold Star Security Group Inc.	Approved.
3107771	3107775	Archangel Protective Services, Inc.	Approved.
3122163	3122167	AIC Companies LLC	Approved.

Employees

Applicant #	Applicant Name	Decision
3121485	Candyce Breean Howell	Approved.

Trainers/Instructors

Applicant #	Applicant Name	Decision
3101384	Walter Edward Marion	Approved.

Complaints:

PDSA240012 – Table to November 16, 2023, Board meeting.

PDSA230050 – Table to November 16, 2023, Board meeting.

PDSA230056 – Refer to Investigations to subpoena additional information.

PDSA230073 – Close – Accept Cease and Desist Order.

PDSA230079 – Board discussion.

PDSA240008 – Table to November 16, 2023, Board meeting.

PDSA230086 – Close – Matter resolved.

PDSA240019 – Table – Cognizant interview held between meetings. Table to November 16, 2023 Board meeting for further review.

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Attorney General’s Report:

The Board accepted the Attorney General’s report as presented, which included information on any cases referred for action, requests for advice, and requests for authority for proposed rules.

OPEN SESSION:

Other Business:

Docketed Orders:

Tripp Mitchell moved, Joel Peacock seconded, and the Board voted to accept the following docketed orders as presented:

Type	Licensee/Applicant	License/Application #	Docket #	City
Final Decision	Christopher Felury and Phoenix Global Security LLC	PSC002430	2023-0919	Atlanta

Complaint Process Discussion

The Board reviewed and discussed the current process for submitting complaint information to the Board. Joel Peacock moved, Tripp Mitchell seconded, and the Board unanimously voted to table discussion until the November 16, 2023 Board meeting.

Rules Review

The Board reviewed and discussed the annual firearms requalification requirements referenced in Board Rule 509-4-.01. Tripp Mitchell moved, Joel Peacock seconded, and the Board unanimously voted to table discussion until the November 16, 2023 Board meeting.


The next meeting of the Georgia Board of Private Detectives and Security Agencies will be held Thursday, November 16, 2023, at 9:00 a.m.

There being no further business, Pam Griggs, Chair, declared the meeting adjourned at 11:35 a.m.

Minutes recorded by: Kristin Mitchell, Board Support Specialist

Minutes reviewed and edited by: Brad Coman, Executive Director

Minutes approved on: November 16, 2023.


Pam Griggs, Chair


Brad Coman, Executive Director